

In New Jersey they have a law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to minors under 15 years of age. Thus is Young America being gradually divested of his "sovereignty."

The cholera, in peculiarly virulent form, is raging in Egypt. Precautions are taken to keep it from finding its way into European countries, and in consequence all traffic through the Suez canal is suspended, or as nearly so as may be. Even if the dreaded disease breaks out in Europe, with ordinary precautions, the United States ought to be safe from its ravages.

The national convention of Anti-Monopolists met at Chicago last week. One of the first things they did was to kick Dennis Kearney, the once famous "sand-lots" orator, out of the organization. The platform they adopted advocates a postal telegraph system, the abolishment of the national banking system, the establishment of a graduated income tax, and of postal savings banks; and several other matters of minor importance. It also denounces gambling in the necessities of life.

The Anchor Line steamer Belgravia reached Queenstown on Thursday, July 5th, after a voyage of fifteen days. Her passengers, of whom two were from this place, were no doubt reminded of the old days when sailing vessels were in vogue. She left New York on June 19, having on board 150 passengers, two-thirds of whom were in the cabin. Three days out the thrust shaft gave way, and she had to proceed under sail. She was spoken by the German steamer Rugia the day after the accident but declined assistance. A few days later the company's steamer England came along. Three or four of the passengers were transferred to her. There was no excitement on the ship. Capt. Hutchinson telegraphed from Queenstown that she would ship her spare shaft and be ready for sea in two days.

Sam Cook, a colored inebriate of Potosi, last Thursday shot a colored girl named Emma Shores in the head, because she rejected his addresses. He then shot himself, inflicting a scalp wound, and left the town. Officers went in pursuit, but did not capture him until Sunday morning. He was found at a farm house about three miles from Potosi, whither he had gone that morning to get something to eat, having tasted nothing since the evening of the day of the murder. When captured it was found he had shot himself three times. The first produced simply a scalp wound, about two inches in length; the other two were better aimed, although for the time being they failed to produce the desired effect. The second ball entered the skull, about 1 1/2 inches above the outer angle of the right eye, and ranging obliquely downward and backward, and to the left, traversed both hemispheres of the brain, and rests within the skull just above the left ear. The other ball entered about the same distance above the right orbit, passed backward, traversing the right hemisphere. Although his brains ooze through the wounds, and he had been hiding in the brush since their infliction, Cook eats heartily, converses rationally, and walked from the place of his capture to Potosi, a distance of three miles, without apparent fatigue or complaint. His attending physicians, Drs. James and L. T. Hall, have little or no hopes of his recovery, and regard the case as exceedingly remarkable and interesting. Cook's victim is still alive, although her chances of recovering from her wounds are very slim.

Murder at Lesterville.

Some bad feeling which had existed for some time between Dr. John Patton and E. H. Brown, a merchant in Lesterville, Reynolds county, culminated on the 4th inst. Both men were under the influence of liquor, and of course, ready to quarrel. They did quarrel, and finally fought. Before beginning the fight Brown charged Patton with having a revolver on his person, whereupon the latter gave his weapon to Mr. Berryman, the proprietor of the saloon in which the trouble occurred. The two men then clinched and fell to the floor, Brown on top. A bystander interfered, pulled Brown off, and ejected him from the room through the front door, B. looking the door after himself, on the outside. As soon as he got up Dr. Patton demanded his revolver, (threatening to cut the heart out of the saloon keeper if he refused), which was returned to him. He then went out through a door in the rear, and the inmates were shortly afterwards started by a pistol shot. They ran out and found Mr. Brown lying on the ground with a wound in his abdomen over his groin. The femoral artery was severed by the ball and the unfortunate man bled to death in a short time. A nine-year old boy, a son of Rev. Pogue, saw Patton fire the fatal

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shot through a crack in the fence which surrounded the saloon. The victim, after locking the door, had remained in front of it for a few moments, and, until the shot was fired, had no intimation that Patton had left the inside of the building. The murderer fled the country, and although the officers went in pursuit at once, nothing has yet been heard from him. Both men are well known in this county, and the unfortunate affair is lamented by all. Whiskey did it.

The tax on matches ceased on the 2d inst. and the price of ordinary lucifers suddenly dropped from \$1.50 down to 50 cents a gross. Parlor matches are quoted at from 75 cents to \$2 at wholesale. At retail there has been a corresponding drop, the box which used to cost a nickel being sold for a cent where the humble coin circulates. During the first few days after the reduction took effect the demand upon the factories was greater than they could supply. People who deal in the goods had been letting stocks run down to the lowest notch and the consequence was big orders came in with such rapidity during the first of last week that the factory price was advanced to 75 cents. This had the effect to check the sales slightly and the price will probably drop again soon. One would hardly expect that the removal of the tax from so cheap an article as matches would make very much difference in the consumption, but the manufacturers say it will and that hereafter there will be an immense increase in the number used.

A Suggestion.

All good citizens are tired and heart sick at the crimes and troubles originating in drunkenness. It is simply distressing for any lover of his race to contemplate. The earnest inquiry is heard on every hand, "What can be done to stop or even diminish this most prolific source of suffering?" While we are anxiously waiting to see the workings of "high license," I would ask the friends of law and order if it would not be well to make drunkenness a crime punishable with arrest and confinement during intoxication? In the first place, this would prevent many from getting drunk. Secondly, it would prevent crimes which would be committed by those temporarily insane from intoxication. Thirdly, it would be conducive to the safety and happiness of the unfortunate victims of intemperance. All of which would increase the public welfare, the chief object of law. Let us consider the subject carefully, earnestly, and act accordingly.

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Probate Docket.

Iron County, Missouri, August Term, A. D. 1883—Monday, Aug. 6th, 1883, and first day of the term.
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Grass, George; Caroline King, Guardian.
Kraus, Jacob; Hermann M. Seitz, Guardian.
Lotz, Jacob; Mary Lotz and John Lotz, Administrators.
Lay, Henry C.; Bell Lay, Administratrix.
Lesser, Jacob; M. Seitz, Guardian.
Lesser, Magdalena; M. Seitz, Guardian.
Watt, Augusta C.; Jos. L. Stephens, Administrator.
White, Alexander; I. G. Whitworth, Guardian.
White, Sarah P.; I. G. Whitworth, Guardian.
Tuesday, Aug. 7th, and second day of term.
Boss, Charles A. D. Boss, Guardian.
Boss, Julia; same do
Boss, Mary; same do
Boss, Anna; same do
Barnes, W. A. J.; Ed. Zwart, Guardian.
Denby, Chas. W.; J. T. Ake do
Denby, Albert same do
Dillingham, J. P.; J. T. Ake, Administrator.
Gresson, Jas. A.; D. A. Gresson, Administratrix.
Mathews, Chas. C.; Harriet E. Mathews, Guardian.
Mathews, Annie I.; Harriet E. Mathews, Guardian.
Mathews, Harvey D.; Harriet E. Mathews, Guardian.
Mathews, Ida F.; Harriet E. Mathews, Guardian.
Mathews, Irene C.; Harriet E. Mathews, Guardian.
Mathews, John T.; Harriet E. Mathews, Administratrix.
McFarland, W. E.; Jesse J. McFarland, Guardian.
Schlegel, Ephrasina; Leopold Hurst, Guardian.
FRANZ DINGER,
Judge of Probate.

Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Jacob Lotz, deceased, that we, Mary Lotz and John Lotz, administrators of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the Court House in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the first Monday in August next—same being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883.
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FERDINAND IMMER,
Administrator.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of John Tabor, deceased, that I, Charles Maschmeyer, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the Court House in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the first Monday in August next—same being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883.
CHARLES MASCHMEYER,
Administrator.

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